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EXPEDITED PROCEDURE

GROUP 3713

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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Appln. No.: 09/559,469

Group Art Unit: 3713

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For: METHOD OF SWITCHING BACKGROUND IMAGES IN ACCORDANCE WITH  
MOVEMENT OF CHARACTERS, STORAGE MEDIUM FOR STORING  
PROGRAMS, AND VIDEO GAME DEVICE

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ATTN: BOX AF  
Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 4, 2002, please consider the following  
remarks:

REMARKS

Claims 1-11, all the claims pending in the application, stand rejected.

*Claim Rejections - 35 U.S.C. § 112*

Claims 10 and 11 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, first paragraph, as containing  
subject matter that was not disclosed in such a way as to convey to one skilled in the art that the  
applicant had possession of the invention at the time the application was filed. This rejection is  
traversed.

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